



# Recognition of Prior Learning (also referred to as Credit Transfer) Master of Commerce and Master of Commerce (Ext)

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## Policy and process

- Recognition of prior Learning (RPL) will be assessed during the admission process and you will be notified of any credit transfer in your official letter of offer.
- RPL is based on the breadth and depth of the content covered in prior tertiary study.
- Originals or certified true copies of official transcripts are required to assess RPL.
- Official course outlines may be required during the assessment of RPL.
- RPL will not be granted on the basis of courses undertaken more than ten years prior to the commencement of the program.
- RPL will not be granted based on prior study at Diploma and/or Advanced Diploma level.
- RPL can only be removed in the student's first session of studies.

## How many transfer credits are possible?

- On the basis of completed awards, a maximum of 24 UOC\* transfer credits will be considered.
- Applicants with prior incomplete postgraduate studies may be considered for further credit transfer.
- RPL for the purpose of credit is not granted on the basis of work experience.
- RPL will only be considered on the basis of studies satisfactorily completed at tertiary institutions recognised by UNSW Business School. Courses completed in a Diploma cannot be used for RPL.

\*units of credit

Data analysis core course:

Course code	Introductory core courses	Applicable stream	Successful completion of:
COMM5005	Quantitative Methods for Business	Accounting Business Strategy Economics and Finance Finance Management Accounting Risk Management	Two undergraduate statistics courses or one undergraduate statistics course plus one mathematics course
COMM5011	Data Analysis for Business	Business Analytics Business Law Enterprise System & Business Design Global Sustainability & Social Enterprise Human Resource Management Innovation & Entrepreneurship International Business Marketing Organisation & Management Supply Chain Management	Two undergraduate statistics courses or one undergraduate statistics course plus one mathematics course

Gateway courses:

Course code	Introductory core courses	Applicable stream	Successful completion of:
ACCT5930	Financial Accounting	Accounting Management Accounting	Three relevant undergraduate accounting courses

ECON5103	Business Economics	All streams	One full microeconomics course and one full macroeconomics course
FINS5511	Corporate Finance	Management Accounting	Two undergraduate finance courses
ACCT5906	Financial Literacy for Decision Making	All streams except for Accounting and Management Accounting	Three relevant undergraduate accounting courses
MGMT5710	Managing and Leading People	All streams except for Management Accounting	Three relevant undergraduate HRM/organisational behaviour/industrial relations courses
FINS5512	Financial Markets & Institutions	All streams except for Management Accounting	Three undergraduate finance courses, including one financial/capital markets course
INFS5885	e-Business	All streams except for Management Accounting	Three undergraduate information systems courses
MARK5700	Data Analysis for Business	All streams except for Management Accounting	Three undergraduate marketing courses
RISK5001	Fundamentals Risk and Risk Management	All streams except for Management Accounting	Three undergraduate risk management courses
TABL5511	Legal Foundations of Business	All streams except for Management Accounting	Three undergraduate Australian law courses

Required specialisation courses:

Course code	Introductory core courses	Applicable stream	Successful completion of:
ACCT5996	Management Accounting and Business	Management Accounting	Three additional undergraduate accounting courses after ACCT5930 has been granted
FINS5513	Investments & Portfolio Selection	Finance	Three undergraduate finance courses, including one investment or portfolio course

### How are the transfer credits assessed?

Admission stage:

RPL will be determined by the UNSW Business School Admissions Team (in consultation with the Program Director) during the admission process on the basis of transcripts and you will be notified of your credit in your official letter of offer. If further information is required you will be asked to provide a full course outline which must detail the topics covered, hours per week, assessment information, textbook or reading list, teaching mode etc.

Matriculated:

Students who did not apply for RPL during the admission stage and now have fully accepted the offer can seek transfer of credits via Business School [online forms](#). RPL will be determined by UNSW Business School Student Centre (in consultation with the Program Director). If further information is required you will be asked to provide a full course outline which must detail the topics covered, hours per week, assessment information, textbook or reading list, teaching mode etc.

Please contact the [Business School Student Centre](#) if you have any further questions.